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		well known, however, that Soviet officers wearing Bulgarian uniforms are attached to Bulgarian commands and units.

New Airfield Near Sofia

12. A military airfield of recent construction is located about 10 kilometers southeast of Sofia, in the vicinity of Gorublyane (N 42-38, E 23-24). The field was put into use in 1952 and was in the final stages of construction in June 1953. It has runways (number, direction, and characteristics unknown) and is for the exclusive use of the Bulgarian Air Force.

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